

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 24

By Johnson

A RESOLUTION to honor and commend Michael Ernest Hill,
2019 class of Nashville's Top 30 Under 30.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should salute those citizens who, through their extraordinary efforts, have distinguished themselves as community leaders of whom we can all be proud; and

WHEREAS, one such individual is Michael Ernest Hill, who was recently recognized as a member of the 2019 class of Nashville's Top 30 Under 30, presented by the Tennessee chapter of the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation; and

WHEREAS, each year, the Tennessee chapter selects thirty individuals for Nashville's Top 30 Under 30, which recognizes business professionals throughout Middle Tennessee for their leadership qualities, volunteerism, and business endeavors; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Hill is an associate attorney at Bass, Berry & Sims, PLC, where he focuses his practice on counseling clients on corporate and securities issues, including mergers and acquisitions, capital markets transactions, and securities regulations matters and filings. He works within a range of industries, including health care, life sciences, and insurance; and

WHEREAS, Michael Hill earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in Philosophy, Politics and Law from the University of Southern California and a Juris Doctor degree from the University of Kentucky College of Law, where he was valedictorian and graduated *summa cum laude*; and

WHEREAS, deeply committed to the Nashville community, Mr. Hill volunteers his time with Youth About Business, an immersive leadership-training program for high school students interested in business; he has also worked with the Nashville Fashion Alliance on its IRS application for 501(c)(3) status for its fashion entrepreneurship development program; and

WHEREAS, this General Assembly finds it appropriate to acknowledge and applaud the individuals of the 2019 class of Nashville's Top 30 Under 30 for their dedication to the State of Tennessee and its citizens; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED ELEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we honor and commend Michael Ernest Hill on being named a member of the 2019 class of Nashville's Top 30 Under 30 by the Tennessee chapter of the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation and extend to him our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.